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Mr. I. S. McEtroy led in prayer, and then gave in a few words his impressions of the conference. Reports were also made by Miss Durham, Miss Wil-Howland, Campbell, Messrs. Douglas and McIlwaine. All who at-

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tended the conference felt there was much they wished to say and regretted that the time was too short.

Reports of the year's work made, and while we see much in the work of the past year to encourage us, we feel that we have only touched the work that can be done in the city, and through our churches.

The successful year has been due to the blessing of God upon the untiring efforts of the president of the Union, Mr. George W. Taylor, who, by his consecration and enthusiasm, has made this year count for much in the history of the Student Volunteer Union of Richmond.

The meeting was adjourned by repeating the Mizpah benediction, after which a light supper was served and a social hour spent. An especially enjoyable feature of the evening was the music by Miss Jessamine Booth, of the Assembly's Training School, and Mr. George W. Taylor, of the seminary.

Peachy Wilson, Secretary.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR NOTES.

By Wyatt A. Taylor, All-South Field Secretary.

· Field Secretary Taylor recently made tour of South Carolina, during which time he attended four Christian Endeavor Conventions. The Laurens district held its convention at Clinton, the closing session of which was at-tended by about three hundred peo-ple. Mrs. McFadden retired as district president, at the end of a year of phenomenal achievements, and was succeeded by S. W. Dendy, of Clinton.

The Florence district held its convention at Darlington, with the In-termediates of that city, who gave the visiting Endeavorers a delightful reception. Miss Janet Jaeger, the efficient district president, was re-elected.

The Junior demonstration by Miss Dora Gray, and a debate on "Re-solved, That the Expert Endeavor class is of more value to a society than the Efficiency Chart," were features of the Columbia District Convention at Winnsboro. Miss Virginia Gibbes, of the Trinity Episcopal Society, Columbia, defended Expert Endeavor in the debate. Her opponent was absent, so she consented to "take on" the whole convention. She put up a splendid debate, though she was overcome by a heavy bombardment.

At Cedar Swamp the Endeavorers county convention, attended by a hundred Endeavorers. It was a splendid gathering. G. O. Epps was elected county director. Mr. Epps travels the county in a car, as manager of a county telephone company, and this will enable him to keep in touch with the societies. He is already laying plans for the next county convention the first of the summer.

The Endeavor Society at McColl, S. C., furnished Testaments for the boys in the State reformatory school at Florence, S. C.

Twenty-four stars, arranged in the form of the letters C. E., appear on the large service flag recently presented by Mrs. Wyatt A. Taylor to the Christian Endeavor Society of the First Presbyterian church, Columbia. S. C., in honor of the two dozen members of that society who are now "with the colors."

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Columbia, S. C., Christian church gave a reception to some soldiers of Camp Jackson. In a week or so these soldiers reciprocated by entertaining the Endeavorers. Everything was in camp fashion, with camp refreshments, cooked and served camp style, at the camp.

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